PREFACE

This manual contains basic information about the California Medi-Cal Dental Program, known as "Denti-Cal." It is designed to provide detailed information concerning Denti-Cal policies, procedures and instructions for completing the necessary forms and other related documents.

The criteria and policies contained in this manual are subject to the provisions of the Welfare and Institutions (W&I) Code and regulations under Title 22, California Code of Regulations (CCR). When any changes in these criteria and/or policies occur, bulletins and revised pages will be issued for purposes of updating the information in this manual.

This manual is intended to be a working document. Therefore, when bulletins and revised pages are received, carefully insert them in this manual as soon as possible, according to the instructions provided with each revision. In this manner, the information contained in this manual will always be current and up-to-date.

Please call the Denti-Cal toll-free number, (800) 423-0507, with any questions you have regarding the contents of this manual or participation in the California Medi-Cal Dental Program. Our Provider Services staff will be happy to assist you.